



Notifiable Disease Report

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Notifiable diseases reported for Kent County residents through end of month listed above.

DISEASE	NUMBER REPORTED		MEDIAN CUMULATIVE
	This Month	Cumulative 2012	Through May 2007-2011
AIDS (Cumulative Total - 894)	2	10	17
AMEBIASIS	0	3	2
CAMPYLOBACTER	8	29	16
CHICKEN POX ^a	0	9	116
CHLAMYDIA	337	1531	1336
CRYPTOSPORIDIOSIS	0	3	4
Shiga Toxin Producing E. Coli ^b	0	3	N/A
GIARDIASIS	6	28	26
GONORRHEA	39	277	357
H. INFLUENZAE DISEASE, INV	0	2	1
HEPATITIS A	1	2	2
HEPATITIS B (Acute)	0	1	1
HEPATITIS C (Acute)	0	2	1
HEPATITIS C (Chronic/Unknown)	25	131	130
INFLUENZA-LIKE ILLNESS ^c	3446	31496	30860
LEGIONELLOSIS	1	3	1
LYME DISEASE	1	1	1
MENINGITIS, ASEPTIC	3	8	10
MENINGITIS, BACTERIAL, OTHER ^d	1	9	3
MENINGOCOCCAL DISEASE, INV	1	3	1
MUMPS	0	0	0
PERTUSSIS	0	1	3
SALMONELLOSIS	5	16	14
SHIGELLOSIS	2	8	2
STREP, GRP A, INV	5	15	10
STREP PNEUMO, INV	3	19	29
SYPHILIS (Primary & Secondary)	0	3	3
TUBERCULOSIS	0	7	8
WEST NILE VIRUS	0	0	0

NOTIFIABLE DISEASES OF LOW FREQUENCY

DISEASE	NUMBER REPORTED Cumulative 2012	DISEASE	NUMBER REPORTED Cumulative 2012
Guillain-Barre Syndrome	2		
Malaria	1		

a. Chickenpox cases are reported primarily from schools. Confirmed and probable cases are included.

b. In November 2010, cases of *E. coli* O157:H7 were combined into the category "Shiga-toxin producing *E. coli* (STEC)"

c. Includes "Influenza-Like Illness (ILI)" and lab-confirmed influenza. ILI cases have flu-like symptoms and are reported primarily by schools.

d. "Meningitis, Bacterial, Other" includes meningitis and bacteremia caused by bacteria OTHER THAN *H. influenzae*, *N. meningitidis*, or *S. pneumoniae*.

Except for Chickenpox & Influenza-Like Illness, only confirmed cases (as defined by National Surveillance Case Definitions:

www.cdc.gov/epo/dphsi/casedef/case_definitions.htm) are included.

Reports are considered provisional and subject to updating when more specific information becomes available.